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### MARKET SPACE.

### POPULATION OF DISTRICT.

Accuracy of the Federal Census Called Into Question.

Comparison of the Official Enumeration and the Police Count-Impor- cent tance in Fixing Death Rate-The Change Noted by Health Officer.

Does the Fourist colour to the District of the actual population of the District of Columbia? This question has been raised by the Health Officer, and upon it rests the question of the death rate and in fact all the percentages of disease and mortality worked out in the statistics of that department. A low total of the popu-lation will give a high death rate and high percentages of disease, while the high total of population would figure out ated that the percentages of death and disease would be reliable.

Woodward, in his last annual report, called attention to certain facts relative to the Federal census, as comhave been taken in a way to throw some doubt upon the validity of the former.
"The Federal census of 1990," he says, "has shown a disappointingly small population for the District of Columbia. The total number of inhabitants enumerated was but 38,718, of which the whites were 192,015 and the colored 86,702, while recent police censuses have justified the expectation that the population would be

not less than 285.990.

"The results of the police consuses had been consistent with one another, and with the Federal consus of 1890, while they do not show, as serently, any consistency with that of 1850, as the follownot less than 285,000. sistency with that of 15:0, as the follow-ing statement indientes. The Federal cerisus of 15:0 showed a white population of 16:0,50 and a colored population of 7:,-572, making a total of 220,321. The popula-tion of the District by the police census as taken at different times is indicated in the following statement: June, 1837, white 145,535, colored 72,622, total 218,157; June, 1852, white 173,510, colored 84,841, total 25: 533. December 1804, white 185,555, col-254,451; December, 1894, white 185,516, colored 86,958, total 270,514; April, 1977, white 189,467, colored 88,725, total 277,782.

"The increase from year to year, while not great, had been reasonably large, and, for a community of the character of that of Washington, satisfactory, When, there fore, the Federal census of June, 1900, shows on comparison with the police cen-sus of April, 1997, an increase in the white population of but 2,579, and a decrease in the colored population of 1,623, making a total increase of but 906, in somewhat more than three years, it is apparent that there have been some very unusual and remarkditions, or that one or the other of these enumerations of the population is incor-rect. A careful consideration having failed to show the presence of any factors liable to curtail the usual increase in the population, the latter hypothesis is at least reasonably well sustained.
"As to which of the enumerations is in

error there may be honest differences of opicion, but as the police census was made by men familiar with every nook and cranny of the District, and whose uniforms commanded respect, and the summing up of the returns done by men whose gradually increasing experience up to the last enumeration ensure accuracy, it would appear that the chances of being correct were much in favor of the police

correct were much in favor of the police census, the Federal census of June, 1900, showing probably less than the actual number of the inhabitants.

"While accepting this as a fact, the Health Department has not felt justified in rejecting the returns of the Federal census of June, 1900, in the computation of its vital statistics of the District, because of the shaence of an actual enumeration to demonstrate its inaccuracy. The vital statistics for the year ended June 20, 1900, have, therefore, been based on an estimated population for December, 1900, in the computation of which, both the police census of June, 1900, were accepted as correct. Such estimates show a white population of \$2,850."

years of age being Sanas, or star per cent of the whose.

Between the age of one year and five years of age the white population is 12,95, or 8.25 per cent of the entire white population, while the colored is 1,28, or 8.25 per cent of the total colored population. This gives the total of 21,93, or 8.21 per cent of the population of the District.

Under one year of age, the amalysis shows, of white children 1,250, or 1.28 per cent of the white population, while there are 1,319 such colored children, or 1.24 per cent of the colored population. The total is 4,569 children under one year of age, or 1.70 per cent of the colored population.

Without seeking to explain the differences between the figures of the police and Federal censuses, it has been suggested that the city of Washington has reached a point in its development where it is not growing so rapidly as formerly. In this connection it is very possible for the population was accurately chuldred with and buddle and processes of death and within the past few years it is said that the percentages of death and disease would be reliable.

The Woodward in his last annual re-

home.

Those who favor the planting of manufacturing interests in the District have urged this condition of affairs as one of the great reasons for their views. They have said that unless something is done soon to give employment to the people already in the District the people will be going away to seek work faster than they come in to take office and the few positions the city hus to offer. It has been hinted in answer to Dr. Woodward's strictures upon the Federal census that just this process is going on, and that the enumeration shows it.

### A SAENGERBUND MUSICALE.

at the Second Entertainment.

The Washington Sacagerbund held its second musical entertainment fast night and presented to its members and many of vocal and instrumental music of exceptional merit. The entertainment was under the direction of Henry Xander, the musical director of the society.

lows: Chorus, "Serenade," Spicker, by Saengerbund; violin solos (a) "Cavatina," Raff, (b) "Hungarian Dance." Brahms, by W. H. Scholz; soprano solo, "Chanson Provencale," Dell 'Acqu, by Mrs. A. R. Benson; plane solos, (a) "Nachistuck," Schumann, (b) "Valse," Chopin, by Miss Rebecca Heine Behrend; contraite solos, (a) "Der Lindenbaum," Schubert, (b) aria from "Samson and Leiliah," Saint-Saens, by Mrs. William T. Reed; tenor solo, "Schafer's Klagelled," Schubert, by Charles B Kanten.

### FIRE IN A STABLE.

Five Horses Rescued, and \$1,000

Damages Effected. About 9 o'clock last night fire was dis covered in a stable in the rear of the dwelling at 1415 Bacon Street northwest, occupied by Frank P. Harvey. Before the flames were gotten under control a damage of \$1,000 had been effected. The origin of the fire is unknown. It started on the second floor, where several tons of feed were stored, and spread rapidly to the roof, which fell in a few minutes later. Several citizens discovered the fire. A piece of board was secured and the door was battered down. Five horses which were stabled there were rescued. As alarm was turned in from box 86, at Four teenth and Binney Streets. After a short delay the engine companies responded, bu not until the fire had gotten beyond con-

trol.

Chief Dutton, of the Fire Department, heard the cries of several persons who were shouting "fire," and went to the scene. He assisted the police in rescuing the animals which were in the stable. Several buggles and a quantity of harness was destroyed in the fire. The loss is fully covered by insurance.

population of 36,467, and a total population of 28,800.

With this as a basis the Health Officer has made an analysis of the population by color, sex and age for use in computing the mortuary and disease statistics of the Department. This shows a white male population of \$5,711, or 35,39 per cent of the total; white female population of 9,417, or 35,39 of the total, making 193,128 white persons in the District upward of five years of age, or \$5,89 per cent of the whole. A similar computation for the colored population gives males 25,370, or 10,78 per cent of the whole, and female them.

Misplaced Property Reported Stolen.

Mrs. Caroline W. Chaffee, of 920 Thirtsenth Street northwest, is congratulating herself upon the prompt recovery of \$52 m cash and over \$450 worth of jewelry that she had reported as being stolen. Detective Sergeants Miller and floyd visited the house on receiving the report and after satisfying themselves that the premises had not been entered by an intruder, began a scarch of the room. Their efforts were soor rewarded by finding the missing strictles in the bottom of a trank where Mrs. Chaffee then remembered having placed them.

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The Sixth Session of the Institution

to Begin Today.

The sixth session of the Army Medical School will begin today in this city. This

structing recently appointed medical offi-

cers of the army in military surgery, by

giene, and medicine, the duties of medical officers, and clinical and sanitary micro-

officers on duty here. The instruction is given in the Army Medical Museum and

Library, at the corner of Seventh and B

The student officers are also instructed

in hospital corps drill, practical demon-strations in first aid, the establishment of

field hospitals and equitation—this in-struction being given at the Army General

Hospital, Washington Barracks. Nineteen student officers have been ordered to re-

port for instruction at the school and

The professors and instructors are: Military hygiene, Col. Churles Smurt, assistant surgeon general; military medi-

cine, Col. Calvin DeWitt, assistant sur

geon general; duties of my dical officers,

Major John Van R. Hoff, surgeon; clini-

cal microscopy, Major Walter Reed, sur-

geon; military surgery, Major W. C. Borden, surgeon; hospital corps drill, Capt. F. P. Reynolds, assistant surgeon.

The Army Medical School has been of great value, as it instructs young medi-

cal officers recently appointed from civil

life and unacquainted with military af-fairs in the matters of medicine, surgery,

fairs in the matters of medicine, surgery, and hygiene which pertain particularly to the military service and which are not taught in regular medical schools. They also receive instruction in the ways of the military service, and are thus familiarized with the duties which are peculiar to medical officers of the army.

Surgeon General Sternberg deserves great credit for having established this school. Situated as it is in Washington, where well qualified medical officers can be had for instructors, and where all the facilities of the laboratories of the Army Medical Museum and resourcer of the library are obtainable, it gives the students overy facility for proper instructors to the restrictions.

brary are obtainable, it gives the sti ents every facility for proper instru-

Posey G. Wilson, fifty-four years of age was taken into custody yesterday, by Po iceman Mullen, of the Sixth precinct station, on an attachment issued from the Police Court. Some time ago, it is said, Wilson, following his arrest on a

charge of carrying concealed weapons

the course will last five months.

Streets southwest.





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school was established in 1822, upon the recommendation of Surgeon General Sternberg, and is for the purpose of in-Highest temperature, 4 p. m...... THE SUN AND MOON, ....6:50 A.M. | Sun sets..... ...12:12 A.M. | Moog sets.... scopy. Professors and lecturers on these subjects are detailed from the medical

TIDE TABLE STREET LIGHTING. 

AMUSEMENTS. National-Charles Dalton in "The Helmet of Navarre," evening. Columbia-Lulu Glaser in "Dolly Varden," reening.
Lafayette—"The Wife," evening.
Chase s—"A Trip to Chinatown," afternoon and

demy-"Home, Sweet Home," evening,
man's-Rice and Barton's Gayety Burlesafternoon and evening,
ou-Stock company in burlesque and vaudeafternoon and evening.

#### IN AND ABOUT THE CITY. Sick on the Street.

Archibald Campbell, forty-six years old, was seized with a fit at the corner of Ninth Street and Pennsylvania Avenue southeast yesterday afternoon and was removed to his home, 413

False Alarm of Fire Sounded. A false slarm of fire was sounded shortly after sidnight Saturday night from law 42% located the corner of First and N Streets southwest, he police are investigating and hope to appre-end the culprit.

### Wagon and Car Collide. A car of the Washington, Alexandria and Mount Vernon Railroad and a wagon of the American ice Company collided about 11 o'check yester morning at the corner of Feurteenth and C Stra-sorthwest. No one was hurt and the wa-was bur slightly damaged.

Thrown From Wheel and Injured. While riding a hieyele along Georgia Avenue. etween Third and Fourth Streets much

Vest Recovered, Cologne Missing. Lemmel Thomas, a thirteen-year-old colored Lemmel Thomas, a thurteen-year-shif colored hoy, was arrested yesterday morning by Presinct Detective Cornwell and was locked up on two charges of pettil larency. The first warrant charges him with having stollen fourteen bottles of cologne from John-U. Black October 19. The other charge is that he parionnel a rest from Samuel Silber. The west was recovered, but the sologne is still missing. Thomas will be given a bearing in the Police Court this morning.

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Thrown From Wheel and Injured. Howard Conjell while riding a bicycle was

Miss Simmes Slightly Injured. alightly injured about the back Saturday after-moon on Wittiney Avenue northwest by being thrown from a carriage in which she was riding with William Warren and little Gerald Wycott. A hotte stucked to a wagon of the Caurles Schneider Baking Company became frightened and, running away, collided with the carriage, throw-ing the occupants out. Miss Simunes was car-vied into No. 10 police station, where she was attended by Dr. Allen Walker, of 634 Whitney Avenue, after which she was removed to her hotel in the ambulance.

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